

DEATH & DYING: DEALING WITH GRIEF

Juv Picture Book ABEDI I FAREWELL GRANDPA ELEPHANT

When Grandpa Elephant tells his grandchildren that he is going to die, the children have many questions about death and what comes next

Juv Picture Book ALVAREZ J WHERE DO THEY GO?

A beautiful and comforting mediation on death, asking questions young readers might have about what happens to those they love after they die.

Juv Picture Book BAGLEY J BOATS FOR PAPA

Buckley and his mother cope with the loss of their father/husband by sending small wooden boats, built by Buckley, off into the ocean

Juv Picture Book BECKER A A STONE FOR SASCHA

A young girl, still reeling from her dog's death, finds solace while picking up stones on the beach during her family's vacation.

Juv Picture Book BUNTING E THE MEMORY STRING

While still grieving for her mother and unable to accept her stepmother, a girl clings to the memories represented by forty-three buttons on a string.

Juv Picture Book CHICHESTER CLARK E UP IN HEAVEN

When Arthur's dog Daisy dies, she watches over him from heaven, and eventually helps him find a new puppy.

Juv Picture Book COOPER E BIG CAT, LITTLE CAT

Two cats meet, and a story of friendship begins, until one day, when the older cat has to go, and doesn't come back

Juv Picture Book DAVIES N THE POND

A young boy and his family are trying to overcome the loss of their father. The natural world becomes part of the healing process.

Juv Picture Book JEFFERS O THE HEART AND THE BOTTLE

Life is full of magic and wonder, but what happens when someone special is no longer around? We can place our heart in a bottle, or learn another way.

Juv Picture Book JOOSSE B GHOST WINGS

While celebrating Days of the Dead, a young girl remembers her wonderful grandmother who sang songs, made tortillas, and loved butterflies.

Juv Picture Book KARST P THE INVISIBLE STRING

Our hearts are connected by an invisible string, even when we can't see each other. This story will reassure children coping with separation or loss.

Juv Picture Book KRISHNASWAMI U REMEMBERING GRANDPA

When Grandma comes down with a "bad case of sadness" after Grandpa dies, Daysha collects objects that will remind Grandma of her Grandpa.

Juv Picture Book LEVIS C IDA, ALWAYS

A polar bear grieves over the loss of his companion, based on real-life Gus and Ida of New York City's Central Park Zoo.

Juv Picture Book LOBEL G MOONSHADOW'S JOURNEY

Moonshadow is journeying south for the winter. But when not all the swans make it through a terrible storm, Moonshadow finds the strength to continue.

Juv Picture Book LOTH S REMEMBERING CRYSTAL

Crystal and Zelda were the best of friends. Then, one day, Crystal dies. Children will learn that true friendship never dies.

Juv Picture Book LUNDE S MY FATHER'S ARMS ARE A BOAT

Unable to sleep, a young boy climbs into his father's arms and asks about whether his mother will ever awaken. The father provides clear answers and assurances.

Juv Picture Book MATHERS P WHEN AUNT MATTIE GOT HER WINGS

When Aunt Mattie dies, best friends Lottie and Herbie console each other, and celebrate Aunt Mattie's life.

Juv Picture Book MENG C ALWAYS REMEMBER

When Old Turtle dies and is taken back by the sea, his friends remember that he was a wonderful teacher and friend who made his world a better place

Juv Picture Book MOUNDLIC C THE SCAR

When a boy wakes up one morning to discover his mother has died, he is overwhelmed with sadness. Then, his grandmother shows him how to feel his mother's love is near.

Juv Picture Book PARR T THE GOODBYE BOOK

Told through the lens of a pet fish who has lost his companion, Todd Parr tells a moving and wholly accessible story about saying goodbye.

Juv Picture Book PENN A CHESTER RACCOON AND THE ACORN FULL OF MEMORIES

After his mother explains why his classmate is not returning to school.

Juv Picture Book ROSEN M MICHAEL ROSEN'S SAD BOOK

Why is Michael sad? Because his son Eddie died at the age of eighteen. This deeply personal story talks about how Michael deals with his sadness.

Juv Picture Book SNICKET L GOLDFISH GHOST

This story is a fresh and funny take on what happens after your favorite goldfish crosses over to the other side.

Juv Picture Book SOETERO-NG M LADDER TO THE MOON

Suhaila's wish to know her deceased grandmother is granted when a golden ladder appears at her window, and Grandma Annie invites her on a journey to the moon.

Juv Picture Book THONG R THE WISHING TREE

Ming's wishes at the tree on Lunar New Year with grandmother always come true. But one year, he alone must wish, and make peace with the loss of his grandmother.

Juv Picture Book VARLEY S BADGER'S PARTING GIFTS

All the woodland creatures love Old Badger. When he dies, they are overwhelmed with loss. They begin to treasure the memories that he left behind.

Juv Picture Book VIORST J THE TENTH GOOD THING ABOUT BARNEY

When a boy's cat dies, he is very sad. His mother tells him to think about ten good things about Barney.

Juv Picture Book YOUNG C THE DAY WE LOST PET

Through a heart-warming story about balloons who fill one another with air and love, comes a fable of how we deal with the loss of a loved one or a beloved pet.

Juv 155.937 C67 MOLLY'S ROSEBUSH

When the new baby they've been expecting isn't strong enough to be born, Molly and her family find different ways to express their feelings and comfort each other.

Juv 155.937 J83 THE GOODBYE BOAT

Saying goodbye to a loved one is hard, but there is hope. Sadness will ease, and death is not the end.

